

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
ENVIRONMENT AND FORESTS
LOK SABHA**

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DUMPING OF WASTE
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Will the Minister of ENVIRONMENT AND FORESTS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government is aware that Britain dumps its garbage on Indian soil as reported in 'The Times of India' dated 09 September, 2008;
- (b) if so, the details thereof; and
- (c) the steps taken by the Government in this regard?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF ENVIRONMENT AND FORESTS(SHRI NAMO NARAIN MEENA)

- (a) & (b) According to the investigations carried out by the Custom Authorities and Tamil Nadu State Pollution Control Board, no incidence of dumping of garbage from Britain came to their notice.
- (c) Does not arise.